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DYSLEXIA TASK FORCE TO MEET

(FRANKFORT, Ky.) – The Dyslexia Task Force will meet Wednesday, July 20, from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. ET in the Ground Floor Auditorium of the Capital Plaza Tower in Frankfort.

The Dyslexia Task Force will study dyslexia and develop recommendations on policy, personnel, and the instructional and fiscal resources needed to identify and support students with dyslexia. The group's work will include reviewing the most current national data and research on dyslexia; conducting an environmental scan to determine implications for policy and programming; reviewing current policies and practices being implemented across Kentucky and other states for screening, identifying and instructing students with dyslexia; and examining and analyzing state level intervention data and current practices for students with dyslexia.

The task force is comprised of individuals who have experience and expertise in this area, including education shareholders from schools, local districts, postsecondary institutions, education cooperatives and advocacy groups.

A full agenda follows.

AGENDA

Dyslexia Task Force Meeting Ground Floor Auditorium, Capital Plaza Tower 500 Mero Street, Frankfort, KY July 20, 2016, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. ET

- I. Welcome and introductions
- II. Overview of meeting outcomes and agenda: Review facilitator, Kentucky Department of Education and member roles, and participation rules
- III. Setting national context for the work: What does the research tell us?: A dyslexia overview
- IV. Individual reflections and large group discussion: key learnings, implications for Kentucky and clarifying questions
- V. Formation of challenge statements
- VI. Charge of task force
- VII. Large group discussion and identification of focus questions: research, policy, personnel, instruction and fiscal
- VIII. Confirm follow-up actions in preparation for next meeting
- IX. Set next meeting date and closing comments
- X. Adjournment

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